

**UTILITY PATENT  
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**  
(Only for new nonprovisional applications  
under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS FOR:  
CIRCULATION MEMBER, MOTION GUIDE DEVICE  
PROVIDED WITH CIRCULATION MEMBER AND  
BALL SCREW PROVIDED WITH CIRCULATION  
MEMBER**

ADDRESS TO: Commissioner for Patents  
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1. [XX] Fee Transmittal Form (Incorporated within this form)  
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- a. [XX] Newly executed (original)

- b. [ ] Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed).

i. [ ] Deletion of Inventor(s)

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application,  
see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. [ ] Incorporation by reference (useable if box 4b is checked)

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under  
Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby  
incorporated by reference therein.

6. [ ] Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

7. [ ] Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

- a. [ ] Computer Readable Copy
- b. [ ] Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
- c. [ ] Statement Verifying identity of above copies

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

8. [XX] Assignment Papers (cover sheet and document(s)) to: **THK CO., LTD., Tokyo-to, Japan**  
Please publish the assignee data with the application.

9. [ ] 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) [XX] Power of Attorney

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10.  English translation Document (if applicable)
11.  Information Disclosure Statement  Copy of IDS Citation (PTO-1449 & 1 Ref.)
12.  Preliminary Amendment
13.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
14.  Small Entity Status is claimed.
15.  Claim for Convention Priority  Certified copy of Priority Document is enclosed.  
a. Priority of Japanese Application No. 2002-184540 filed on June 25, 2002 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
16.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:  
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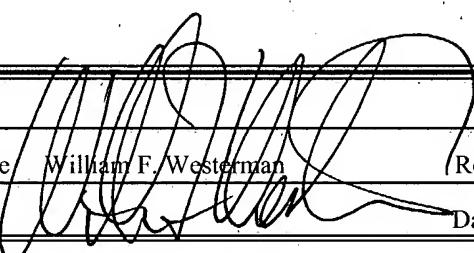


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